Populists Get Pusion Candidate for Governor After All-Night Session.

DEMOCRATS MAKE A PROTRACTED FIGHT

After Governorship is Settled the Remaining Places on the Ticket Are Comparatively Eas-Hy Filled.

Fir Governor W. A POTNTER
For Liebtenant Governor A. E. GILBERT
At arney General J. SMYTH
Servetary of State W. P. PORNELL
Applifor J. P. CORNELL

LINCOLN, Aug. 3 - (Special Telegram.) --W. A. Paynter of Boone county is the numinee of the fusion forces for governor. The democrats did not finally give in until 5:55 this morning, though the populist and free silver republican conventions had agreed upon him earlier in the night.

A. E. Gilbert for Heutenant governor; C. J. Smyth, attorney general; W. F. Porter, secretary of state; J. F. Cornell, auditor, J. B. Meserve, treasurer; J. V. Wolfe, commissioner of public lands and buildings; W. R. Jackson, superintendent of instruction. were nominated by acclamation, completing

Gilbert is a free silver republican, Smyth a democrat and the remainder populist state

officers renominated. At 2:30 a. m. W. L. Hand, impatient over a delay of the democrats to come in, tried to get the conference agreement rescinded.

ballot for Poynter. At Brenk of Day. .

The nomination of Poynter by the democrats was effected at break of day only by the herculean efforts of the leaders. At a dozen points during the long, all-night session, it looked as if fusion was hopeless, but it was realized that fusion must be on Poynter or not at all. The opposition in democratic camp seems to have been carefully nursed by the coterie who had been backing Stark aided by Edgar Howard, in the chair, who actually believed he was to be the nominee. These factors also had the secret help of Chairman Edmisten and his machine gang. They resorted to desperate tactics, whispering among the democratic delegates that Poynter was a prohibitionist, and that he had anti-Roman tendencies. These were largely pretexts. The real reamachine and its Omaha organ had no asof the democratic share of the spoils. So Harrington, 2: Edmisten, 21. effectively did they operate, however, that their trenches were not countermined until Poynter appeared before them and in so many words said: "I am not a prohibitionist. I favor liberty of conscience and religion." This humiliating performance accomplished its purpose, but not until the contest had left sores that will remain open

Stand Steadily by Poynter.

was another instruction to the secretary to cast a sixth ballot unanimously for Poynter. It was now nearly 2 20 a.m. Not more than the secretary to cast a sixth ballot unanimously for Poynter. It was now nearly 2 20 a.m. Not more than the secretary to construction to the secretary to the urged the delegates to stay until corn acting in that capacity he did not surrender this section. From one to two inches fell, and W. H. Britt.

Still remained a gold standard man. He the heaviest fall being in the north end of the finest corn crops we have ever had in H. M. McCleod, G. B. Bates, T. A. Anthony this section. From one to two inches fell, and W. H. Britt. 200 delegates remained. They were in a created considerable enthusiasm. rather dilapidated condition, but still orderly and determined to gain their point. In the meanwhile, the convention passed

people called out at hap-hazard. Judge sanction to the continued casting of votes the democrats. for him in the democratic convention. "I believe it is destruction to fusion success for the democrats to hang out. I am going to vote for W. A. Poynter at the polls if I am the only populist who does vote for

The seventh ballot, unanimous for Poynter. was a repetition of those before it.

him.

Attorney General Smyth made a talk to the convention, in which he assured the delegates that there was no disposition on the part of the democrats to dictate the nomination. He believed an agreement would soon be reached. Some of the democrats were voting for their own man because they believed the populists would be given the head of the ticket next year. The attorney general closed his speech by throwing a few officers.

an amended report, making the correction appointed. requested by Senator Allen. The committee also reported that after careful consultation, both among the members of the com- Poynter. mittee "and with persons not members of the committee," it had been decided to strike out the plank relating to stock wards and to recommend a substitute. The report was adopted. The substitute stock yards resolution was as follows:

We demand a speedy determination of the litigation involving the validity of the stock yards act, regulating charges for feed and yardage, to the end that it may be determined, if said act is ineffectual, what steps should be taken to reduce said yards to state ownership.

The resolutions had been recommitted for the express purpose of changing the plank relating to Senator Allen, but the delegates allowed the plank relating to stock yards to be juggled without uttering a protest. Sev-



Many of the North American Indians were magnificent specimens of physical manhood. This was due, largely, to their active out-door life. Nevertheless, they had the wisdom to know that an active life in the open air alone, would not keep a man healthy. They had their medicine-men, who gathered herbs from field and forest and brewed decoctions to assist the natural processes of the various vital

Modern civilized men do not as a usual Modern civilized men do not as a using thing recognize the same necessity until it is too late. They ignore medicine until they are within the grasp of some serious or fatal disease. The time for a man to begin taking medicine is when he begins to feel out of sorts. If a man is thoroughly well and healthy he does not feel that way. If he does feel that way he may be pretty sure that he is half sick. When he is half sick it does not take long before he is "whole-sick." Dr. Pierce's Golden Med-ical Discovery is the best medicine for a man when he is sick or getting sick. It puts him all right all round. It puts his stomach right to begin with, and that is the most important point. It puts his liver right, and that is the second most import-ant point. It purifies his blood and fills it with the life giving elements of the food he eats, and that is the third important point. It drives out all disease germs and important point. impurities of every discription. It makes the appetite keen and hearty. It is the greatest blood-maker and fiesh-builder. It cures of per cent of all cases of consumption, weak lungs, spitting of blood, obst-mate coughs and kindred ailments. Thos sands who were given up to die have testi-fied to their recovery under this marvelous medicine. An honest dealer will not urge substitute for the sake of a little extra He gives you what you ask for.

POYNTER IS THE NOMINEE eral of F. T. Ransom's ailies from Douglas make an explanation, in which he aired a after the vote was taken.

Stark, 17: Thompson, 21; Howard, 17.

The populists called the roll for another 17; Gaffin, 5714; Stark, 9; Welr, 1814.

Thompson, 25%. Five minutes later the re- among the friends of Fulton and Gilbert. port came that the democrats had agreed gates to considerable enthusiasm. Imme- for the reason, he said, that harmony might diately afterward a motion to take a recess prevail to 8 o'clock was adopted.

Superintendent of Instruction W. R. JACKSON Still Dech and John Powers. At 10 o'clock srnor, and Attorney General Smyth, Secre- for ventions.

delegates having already left the hall.

Not Rendy to Give In.

The populists sent word that they had taken another ballot, which was unanimous out further action. for W. A. Poynter. The same scramble over urged that Howard be given a unanimous the business of nominating a lieutenant gov- afernoon. rote of the convention. This was denied by ernor, taking it for granted that this place en. 6; Meserve. 7; Dunn, 1; Thompson, 14 Gilbert, 136; Fulton, 65. Howard moved that Stark's nomination be made unnnimous, but it was voted down.

The result of the fifth ballot in the silver [72]; Dobson, T. epublican convention was communicated, with a report that the populists remained Fulton, 514. firm with Poynter, after which the democrats took another ballot, resulting: Stark, but it only resulted in another unanimous 408; Howard, 220; Poynter, 13; Damerell, 13;

Neville, 5; Thompson, 49; Edmisten, 4. vention had dwindled to one-half its acthe convention and circulated among the made. This raised a fuss among those who delegates with a scheme. He advised the thought it was a scheme to take the lieuleaders in the next ballot to divide the votes among about four populist candidates and this, the other state officers were nominated send it to the other conventions. This, he by acciamation, the proceeding being hurried thought, would cause the populists to break | through with little ceremony. away and take up a new man. This suggestion seemed to have effect.

again taken a stand for Poynter. He told ter able to look after the interests of the the democrats that for reasons which they stock varis managers. considered sufficient the populists could not agree to Stark's nomination.

The convention then took its seventh ballot, with this result. Gaffin, 226; Howard, son at the bottom was that the democratic 152; Stark, 19; Westover, 31; Poynter, 40; J. R. Thompson, 153; Neville, 11; Weir, 5; surance that they were to control the ladling Meserve, 15; Holcomb, 36; Dunn, 1; M. P.

democrats to endorse Poynter's nomination | meeting. as the silver republicans had done, but he was hooted out.

Colonel Pace presented a report from the silver republicans, again endorsing Poynter, and appealed to the convention to do likewise. A delegate in one of the boxes became enthusiastic, and with a flag in one The only response to the notification that hand he called upon the convention to rethe democrats had voted to nominate Stark member that it was a democratic gathering. It was now nearly 3 30 a. m. Not more than men as the candidate for governor. He

W. H. Thompson suggested that a list of W. H. Thompson suggested that a list of populists be submitted to that convention, to add to the strength of the Hall county any one of whom the democrats would nomitime by listening to speeches from different nate. He said the democrats appeared to be dissatisfied with the nominee of the popu-Neville made a red-hot speech, denouncing list convention, and thought the populists democratic interference and disclaiming should be willing to make this concession to

Aimed at a Compromise.

J. C. Dahlman moved that five names be to read three names, and these to be M. F. Harrington, Silas A. Holcomb and W. L. fixed legal status under those commissions. Stark. A substitute was offered that names of five democrats be submitted. Another man wanted a ballot to be taken, the five highest to be the list submitted.

The chairman ruled them all out on a point of order, that the methods of procedure for the convention had been adopted in the conference committee's report.

Roberts of Douglas moved to adjourn till 8:30, but it was voted down. Matt Gering made an appeal for Poynter.

bouquets at himself and the other state Mr. Poynter before the convention prevailed. The committee on resolutions brought in Otoe and J. H. Harley of Lancaster were

Another report was read from the populist

James Manahan of Lancaster moved that Jay Burrows. Poynter's nomination be endorsed, but the one asked Manahan if he was not seeking man being left to the candidates: the populist endorsement for congress.

Adams B. R. Bigelow of Hastin

to give in and accept Poynter. recounted the proceedings at the conventions worth: Buffalo, Horace F. Carson of Kearlast year, when he surrendered his desire for the nomination for supreme judge that Butler, Nelson Holderness; Cass, Henry a union might be effected upon Judge Sulli- Hemple of South Bend; Cedar, H. T. Ankey van. He said the populists should be altheir party this year. In their convention they decided that Poynter was the strongest man, and that decision should be accented. The silver republicans again reported that

they were favorable to Poynter. W. A. Poynter arrived at this time and freely applauded. He said he was not well known to democrats, having been a populist since the birth of that party. His father was a democrat of Kentucky birth, and his grandfather was also a democrat. He came o Nebraska, he said, twenty years ago, but finding the democratic papers here advocating principles strange to him he sought af-Sliations more congenish and assisted in the fermation of the populist party.

After remarks by several others a motion was made that all rules be suspended and W. A. Poynter be nominated by acclamation. A rising vote was called for and the delegates almost to a man stood up and cheered. Mr. Poynter thunked the convention for he honor conferred and predicted victory in November, after which he retired.

The convention proceeded to nominate candidates for the other offices, although it was now after 6 o'clock and the delegates had been at work all night.

W. S. Shoemaker of Douglas nominated O. Lobeck of Douglas, a representative of the silver republicans, for lieutenant governor: I. J. Dunn of Douglas named Licutenant Governor Harris for renomination W. H. Thompson of Hall named A. E. Gilbert of York. Matt Gering of Cass named E. L. Pulson of Pawnee, and Thomas Sloan of Thurston named J. M. Curry of Thurston, These were all guaranteed as silver repub-A call of the roll was ordered with this

result: Harris, 326; Gilbert, 45; Fulton, 217; Curry, M At this time less than 100 delegates were

W. H. Thompson sought to nominate the lett; York, J. D. P. Small of York. rest of the state ticket in blanket form by acclamation, but the vote was cut off at 6:25 a. m: by a motion to adjourn to 5 o'clock. which prevailed.

Finish in a Hurry. Upon reassembling the convention took an-

this result: Harris, 144; Gilbert, 416; Pul-

only circulated among the delegates until row in the eliver republican convention. When he finished two counties changed to The committee from the silver republican Fulton, and to head off a stampede. Gilbert a convention reported that on their sixth bal-let the result was as follows: Poynter, 279; hearing. This was granted, and he replied to Mr. Fulton's charges.

A report from the populist convention that ote on governor. The result was: Poynter, all the candidates for other state officers. 861; Thompson, 55; Edmisten, 54; Neville, aside from lieutenant governor, had been renominated and that Mr. Harris had with-At 5.45 a. m. a messenger reported that drawn his name from the list of candidates on the seventh ballot at the effect republican for Heutenant governor was received with evention the result was: Poynter, 288%; cheers, and there was immediate confusion Lieutenant Governor Harris appeared and upon Poynter. This stirred the sleepy dele- formally withdrew his name as a candidate,

A delegate from the populist convention After the withdrawal of Harris and the here announced that that body had unantincluded speeches by Holcomb, Sutherland, made that A. E. Gilbert, for lieutenant govreports were received from the other con- tary of State Porter, State Auditor Cornell, nominated by acciamation, which was done

by a rising vote. The convention dissolved forthwith, with-

This morning the first ballot resulted as follows: Gilbert, 24; Lobeck, 975; Fulton, attorney general, Frank G. Odell, Lancaster; Second ballot: Gilbert, 183; Lobeck, 2014;

Third ballot: Gilbert, 229; Lobeck, 8; Fulton, 74: Harris, 12.

A report from the democratic convention was brought over, in which the conventions It was now 4 o'clock a. m., and the con- were asked to change the method of protenant governor. Pending the settlement of

Convention Notes.

Captain Ashby came from the populist that he believed Frank Ransom joined the much larger than that of last year. Convention to announce that that body had allied forces of reform in order to be bet-One of the Lancaster county populists

whether it means the rejuvenation or the dissolution of the party At the meeting of the populist state com-

mittee today the defeated candidates were invited to attend in order that all might Harrington, 2: Edmisten, 21.

A delegate in the gallery appealed to the was noticed that Clem Deaver was the only convention for harmony. He urged the one who was cheerful enough to face the The silver republicans who were candi-

dates for the nomination of lieutenant governor are not feeling good. The defeated ones charge the friends of Candidate Glibert with bad faith and treachery and are very sore over the way the little convention was manipulated. S. N. Wolbach, a gold democrat from Hall

county, was a delegate at the democratic convention. Mr. Wolbach explained that by candidate.

The populist resolutions committee turned the sense of this convention that the law crop. About half the crop yet remains to governing the organization of the state be cut. chosen. This was amended by T. J. Nolan the military department of our State university, may have a certain definite and

EDMISTEN IS TURNED DOWN

Executive Committee of the Populist Party Meets and Elects J. N. Gaffin Chairman.

LINCOLN, Aug. 3 .- (Special Telegram.)-The executive committee of the populist party, in conjunction with the candidates, this evening selected J. N. Gaffin of Saunders A motion to appoint a committee to invite as chairman of the state committee, J. M. Thompson of Lancaster secretary and A. J. and Matt Gering of Cass, H. M. Boydston of Williams of Franklin treasurer. The other convention, again maintaining its support of of the party machinery and that the committee selections today were dictated by

Adams, B. R. Bigelow of Hastings: Ante-W. McGann of Albion; Boyd, E. G. Barnum Judge Neville was accorded a hearing and of Loup City: Brown, G. A. Miles of Ainsney; Burt, W. F. Brewster of Oakland; of Laurel; Chase, J. F. Morris of Imperial; Broken Bow; Dawes, P. G. Casper of Crawford; Dawson, J. H. Donahue of Lexington; Dixon, E. H. Wills of Ponca: Dodge, R. D. was introduced to the convention, being Kelly of Fremont. Douglas, J. H. Peabody of Omaha; Dundy, C. R. Walker of Benkel-Fillmore, W. J. Waite of Exeter; man; W. M. Dunn of Bloomington; Frontier, W. C. Reed of Stockville; Furnas, A. F. McGuire of Edson: Gage, Jacob Klous of Beatrice, Garfield, C. S. Hoyt of Burwell; Gosper, W. B. Miller of Elwood: Greeley, P. H. Barry of Greeley: Hall, E. S. Les of ameron: Hamilton, F. M. Howard of Aurora Harlan, O. Hull of Alma: Holt, J. Troumsch; Kearney, J. H. Robb of Minden; Keith, J. H. Barnett of Ogulalla: Knox. Phil B. Clark of Niobrara: Lancaster, R. F. Chamber of Bennett: Lincoln. G. F. Capper of North Platte: Logan, J. E. Morrison of Gandy: Madison, J. B. Donavan of Madison; Merrick, Daniel McCune of Central City: Nance, R. C. Reed of Fullerton: Nemaha. \$150,000. Cochran of Auburn; Nuckolls, Lee Gress of Nelson: Pawnee, D. D. Davis of Pawnee City: Perkins. C. P. Logan of Grant; of Stromsburg: Red Willow, H. H. Pickens Fells City; Rock, L. L. Bates of Bassett; Saline, J. M. Smith of Friend; Sarpy, W. D. Schaul of Springfield; Saunders, Lamar of Valparaiso; Seward, H. B. Cummins of Seward: Sherman, M. H. Maithews of Loup; Stanton, James Doty of Pilger; Thayer F. S. Mickey of Hebron; Valley, L. Clafflin of Ord; Washington, C. A. Whitparticipating in the deliberations of the con- ford of Arlington; Wayne, E. W. Wallace of Wayne: Wheeler, C. J. Brown of Bart-

Special new double column newspaper

WEEPING WATER Neb., Aug. 1 - (Speother ballot for lieutesiant governor, with cial.)-Yesterday while threshing east of Avoca Roy Teney, 19 years old got his John Hinkle was godes of United Washing a presence at Richardson on, 120.

toot caught in the master wheel of a horse ing the Ancient Order of United Workmen Landing, has been arrested in East St.

Before this vote was announced Mr. Fulton power and the ankle is so badly crushed lodge last evening at about 11 o'clock he Louis, 111. Miller, who is 40 years old an was allowed to address the convention to that amoutation is thought necessary.

cuis of W. A. Poynter now ready, Price, 42. Omnha Eng. Co.

NO STAMPS ARE REQUIRED

Not Necessary to Put Them on Teachers' Contracts and Certificates.

INVESTIGATES THE MATTER

In Response to Inquiries from Teachers the State Superintendent Gets an Opinion from the Revenue Collector.

LINCOLN, Aug. 3 - (Special.) - Superinfendent Jackson has received a large number | selections. of inquiries from teachers over the state in endorsement of Gilbert for Heutenant gov- mously chosen Mr. Gilbert as their candi- regard to the necessity of putting revenue favor with each appearance. Prof. Mounts, ernor, the closing scenes of the convention date for lieutenant governor. A motion was stamps on their contracts and certificates, the musical director, and Prof. Oldham. information, mentioning teachers' cer- tion and becoming very popular. tificates, district orders, annual reports and Land Commissioner Wolfe, State Treasurer teachers' contracts, and has just received a dience this morning. "The Nation's Tomor-Adjournment came soon after, most of the Meserve and Superintendent Jackson be reply that none of the matters mentioned row was the subject and it was ably han-Certificates of nomination of the candi- dren's class is growing daily. The silver republicans met again this dates chosen by the fusion state convention a ballot was resumed, and Senator Gondring morning at \$:35 and proceeded to take up were filed with the secretary of state this cle meeting hast evening was interesting

A few members of the liberty prohibition them and a roll call for a new ballot was was to be filled by a man of their selection. party met in this city yesterday afternoon begun. It resulted: Stark, 260; Neville, 17; During the night an experimental ballot had and nominated a state ticket as follows: Poynter, 36; Howard, 251; Gaffin, 3; Edmis- been taken, in which Lobeck received, 113; Governor, R. A. Hawley, Lancaster; Heu-

ceedure adopted last night in order that the have been coming in on every train yester- who was in the party, made a temporary credited quota. J. H. Edmisten came into remaining nominations might be quickly day and today, and a large crowd of good reduction of the fracture, after which Mrs. natured men and women and boys and girls Watkins was brought home by Mr. Platte. ment of out-of-door life. The grounds pre- Mr. Platte's daughter. sent the appearance of a large, well-kept lawn and the recent rain leaves the park in the best possible condition. Over 300 tents

> said today: "It looks like Jay Burrows that every member of the audience will hear across the framework in such a manner that coming to the front again. I don't know them as often as possible during the assem-Huntington of Cotner university, after which few slight gasps made while the brakebeam President L. O. Jones spoke a few words of was being removed, which had to be taken as chairman of the evening. The lecture letters addressed to N. Kingman Seamans, Rev. Robert McIntyre.

> > CAMBRIDGE, Neb., Aug. 3 .- (Special.)and one-eighth inches.

TRENTON, Neb., Aug. 2 .- (Special)-A the following delegates: heavy rain fell all over the county yesterday State-Sherman Saunder, A. B. Yantis, D. afternoon and evening, thus assuring one Goodman, E. L. Brooks, G. W. Chambers, of the finest corn crops we have ever had in H. M. McClood, G. B. Bates, T. A. Anthony still remained a gold standard man. He she heaviest fall being in the north end of Congressional—J. B. Lucas, Chester Norsaid that he desired to see his neighbor, the county. The Culbertson irrigating ditch ton, T. B. Horton, O. W. Ricer, C. B. Little, Judge Thompson, nominated and consented was washed out in several places. The E. A. Houston, H. C. Baird, J. C. Hass and farmers are jubilant over the assured corn A. C. Logan.

WAUSA, Neb., Aug. 3 .- (Special.) -- The tee, H. C. Baird. excessive amount of rain has seriously redown the university cadets by rejecting the following resolution: "Resolved, That it is sarded the harvesting of the mammeth wheat

uined by the continued dry wear prospect of much more rain today. BANCROFT, Neb., Aug. I .- (Special.) -

steady rain visited this section of the pleted the erection of a new grain house in ounty last night which will do an immense connection with its elevator and the amount of good to the growing corn and Peavey company will begin work in a few o nastures. BENKELMAN, Neb., Aug. 2 .- (Special.) -beavy rain fell here last night which

thoroughly soaked the ground. This as-Farmers are jubilant.

Populists Oust a Chairman. CHADRON, Neb., Aug. 3 - (Special.)-A prominent candidates for chairfnan were J. farce was enacted in the court house of H. Edmisten and J. N. Campbell. It is being Dawes county yesterday which is regretted allow time for the defendant to apply said that the old alliance men are in control by all taxpayers in the county. It was the supreme court for an order compelling The populist state central committee was County Board of Commissioners and place being very determined. motion was not acted upon, because some named as follows, the choice of the chair- is his stead a populist in order that the party might dictate to the board certain things which some of the leaders person-Jim Dahlman also called upon democrats lope, J. D. Hatfield of Neligh; Boone, M. ally desired. Mr. Schmidt, who is one of Lieutenant W. C. Valentine departed this few weeks on a southern tour and the commanding officer of the Fourth corps and ulists, got together and declared his seat Rico, under General Coppinger, where h lowed to decide who is the strongest man in Cherry, W. A. Parker of Wood Lake; Clay, ing of the commissioners and Chairman ment. His commission takes rank from W. Jester of Clay Center: Colfax, John Schmidt was on hand, but the deputy clerk July 9. C. Sprecher of Schuyler: Cuming, Louis refused to deliver the records and together Dewald of Wisner; Custer, H. Lomax of with Commissioner Peterson, a populist, and the new appointee, Naylor, sat as a regular board.

Hanks' Body Found.

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb., Aug. 2.-(Speial Telegram.)—The mystery surrounding Morrow of Atkinson: Howard, J. L. Par- from his home three weeks ago, was cleared farm morrgages filed, amounting to \$15. most entirely embedded in a sand bar in the \$16.750; city mortgages filed, three, amount Missouri river near Peru. An inquest was ling to \$1.820; released, one, amounting to was a pioneer resident of Otoe county, set- three, amounting to \$21.248.88. tling here in 1:55. He was 48 years of age leaves an estate valued at about

PERU, Neb., Aug. 3 .- (Special.) - This afternoon while fishing on the bars in the Miscou i river near hers Leslie Scott found machine shops. Whilst loading castings be the dead body of a man partly covered with had one hand crushed almost to a jelly. Phelps. W. A. Garrest of Holdrege; Pierce, the doad bony of a man partly covered with W. E. Foster of Piainview; Plante, A. S. sand. The body was later identified as that Hyatt of Monroe; Polk, J. A. Landermilch of Canoy Hanks, the Otoe county farmer who disappeared from his home four weeks Stephen Adkins, the 12-year-old son of ago. There were no marks of violence on County Superintendent R. F. Adkins, fell. of McCook: Richardson, Jule Schoenheit of ago. There were no marks of violence on the body and the coroner's verdict was death from a tree yesterday and suffered a severby drowning.

Cattle in Good Condition.

CHADRON, Neb., Aug. 3 .- (Special.)-Cattle on the ranges of Nebraska, South Dakota. Wyoming and Montana were never in better condition during the last ten years than at present. They are fat and sleek and improving every day. Grass is good and has been very plentiful in this entire

western section and cattle will go on the market in A No. 1 condition. The shipping season is now at hand and the rail- ton last Saturday fusion was rejected by the road companies are preparing for a big populists. HOWELLS, Neb., Aug. 2.—(Special.)—As was also known at Joe Baker, a mulatt

in the suburbs of Howells. A coroner's jury ion county, Tennessee, will go back without gave in a verdict that deceased came to requisition papers. his death by being run over by the regplar freight train of the Fremont, Eikhorn & Missouri Valler railroad. Deceased was children in poor circumstances.

Salem Chautauqua.

SALEM, Neb., Aug. 2.-(Special.)-Yester-day was another day full of interest at TODAY'S WEATHER FORECAST Salem assembly. There are 1,000 or more tenting on the grounds. Last evening was favorable for accompanying Prof. Frank Roberson on a tour of Norway by the stereoptions route. J. Edmund V. Cook is winning new laurels with each appearance on the platform. Being a writer and poet he gives his audience many new and original

Miss Sammis, the soloist, is gaining in He wrote to Revenue Collector J. E. Houtz the pinnist, are giving excellent satisfac-

The school of methods drew a large auare subject to taxation. This will be of died by Mrs. Woodward. The biblical expospecial interest in a few counties where the sition under the leadership of Superintendcounty superintendents have held differently, out Hindley is well attended. The chil-

The Chautauqua Literary and Social Cirand the first members enrolled.

BEATRICE, Neb., Aug. 3,-(Special Telegram !- About 6 o'clock tonight, as Mrs. M. tenant governor, J. Phipps Roe, Douglas: S. Watkins and Mrs. C. E. Cooke started secretary of state, J. M. Dilworth, Johnson; to drive out of the timber at Iron Mounsecretary of state, J. M. Dilworth, Johnson; to drive out of the timber at Iron Moun-attorney general, Frank G. Odell, Lancaster; tain, where they had been visiting a camping local treasurer, A. Luth, Platte; auditor, Theodore party, the borse became frightened at an Normal rainfall for the day.

Normal rainfall for the day. Johnson, Clay: commissioner, B. H. Keiley, approaching team, resulting in both women Holt: superintendent, Mrs. E. E. Utter, Red being thrown from the carriage. Mrs. Cooke alighted safely, but Mrs. Watkins, who was driving, fell under the carriage and was Lincoln park has been converted into a pinned to the ground. After being released tented city and the second annual Epworth it was found that both bones in her left assembly is in charge. Scores of campers leg below the knee were broken. Dr. Fall, are busy getting settled for a week's enjoy- accompanied by the nurse who is caring for Meets a Horrible Death.

SCHUYLER Neb. Aug 3 - (Special Tele have already been placed in position and gram.)-As the fast mail pulled out from everything points to an attendance very here going west at 7 o'clock this evening the attention of the trainmen was called to a Tonight the formal opening was enjoyed man apparently fastened to one of the trucks by a large crowd of people. Snowden and and dragging on the track. Stopping the Miller's Original Tenneseeans gave a half- train it was found that the man, who had hour song service and it is safe to predict been riding on the trucks, had fallen forward them as often as possible during the assem-bly. Prayer was offered by Rev. D. W. C. him to a horrible death, which ended with a welcome and introduced Governor Holcomb off to get him loose. On his person were course of the season was opened with 169 W. So. Temple street. Salt Lake "Thirty Hours in the Sunless World," by City, Utah. He was apparently about 35

Republican County Convention. BLOOMFIELD, Neb., Aug. 3,-(Special 'ambridge and vicinity was treated to a Telegram.)—The republican county convenfine rain last evening, amounting to one tion was held here today and nominated W A. Meserve for county attorney and selected

Chairman of the county central commis-

Purchases a Paper.

HARTINGTON, Neb., Aug. 3 .- (Special.)-George L. Nelson, editor of the Hartingto governing the organization of the state of militia should be so amended that the men of military training and education, those who are each year granted commissions by the governor of this state as graduates of the governor of this state as graduates of the military department of our State unithe rain will help what is left. There is cratic paper is to be started here in a couple of weeks.

The Sidnam Elevator company has comdays to enlarge its entire plant at this place.

Writ of Mandamus.

WEST POINT, Neb., Aug. 3 .- (Special.)sures the largest corn crop we have raised. A writ of mandamus was yesterday granted since 1892. The wheat is all harvested, by Judge Evans against Albert Walla, the acting county clerk of Cuming county, requiring him to deliver up the office Charles C. Bartels, the appointee of the county board. The operation of the writ is, however, suspended for three days to caused by the attempt on the part of the Judge Evans to accept a supersedess bond populists in control of the county offices in the matter. If this order is obtained to oust Chairman J. W. Schmidt of the the case will be carried up, both parties

Off for Tampa. WEST POINT, Neb., Aug. 3 .- (Special.)the most prominent and prosperous farm- morning for Tampa, Florida, where he has ers in the county, has been absent for a been ordered to report immediately to the county clerk, treasurer and judge, all pop- to accompany the first expedition to Porto vacant and appointed Charles Naylor in will report to the commanding officer of the his stead. Yesterday was the regular meet. Nineteenth infantry for company assign-BARNESTOWN, Neb., Aug. 3.- Special.)

board, while the regular board, composed of -The threshing of wheat is about all over Commissioners Schmidt and Fowler, with around here. The average yield to the acre G. T. Babcock as clerk pro tem, transacted is estimated at twenty-seven bushels, three business as far as they were able with. bushels below the average reached last year out the records. Mandamus proceedings No rain here for a month. Farmers are will be instituted to compel the clerk to waiting anxiously for moisture to begin fail produce and deliver the records to the plowing. Corn looks fine and is not suffering any. All other crops are holding their GWIL.

Polk County Mortgage Record. OSCEOLA, Neb., Aug. J .- (Special) the whereabouts of Canoy Hanks, the Mortgage record for the month of July in wealthy German farmer who disappeared Polk county shows that there were seven her of St. Paul. Johnson, G. W. Swan of up today by the discovery of the body, al- 136.11; released, fourteen, amounting to held, the jury finding that the documed \$100; chattel mortgages filed, seventy-three came to his death by drowning. Mr. Hanks amounting to \$21,495.89: refeased thirty-

> WEST POINT, Neb., Aug. 3 .- (Special)-A painful accident happened last night to George Ruehl, an employe of the West Point

Hand Crushed.

Falls from a Tree. TECUMSEH, Neb., Aug. 2.-(Special.)fracture of the left arm at the shoulder.

Republican Caucus. WAUSA. Neb., Aug. 3 .- (Special)-At the epublican caucus held last night the following delegates were selected: J. C. Hass Robert Lynn, Peter Knott and H. M. Mc Leod.

Fusion Rejected. WAUSA, Neb., Aug. 1 -- Special)-At the demo-pop county convention held at Creigh-

Arrested for an Old Murder. found Michael Munson dead on the track who was formerly a school teacher in Tip-

Linseed Oil Company Election. CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—The beard of direc-tors of the National Linesed Oil company 40 years old and leaves a wife and three met this afternoon. Franklin D. Locke of children in poor circumstances. Buffalo, and Duniel L. Holmes of St. Louis were elected in place of A. C. Abbott and A. O. Hall, resigned.

Fair: Warmer; Southerly Winds May Be Expected for Kansas and Nebraska Today.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.-Forecast for For Nebraska and Kansas-Fair; warmer outherly winds Iowa-Fair: warmer; southerly

For South Dukota-Pair; warmer in eastern pertion; southerly winds, For Missouri-Fair; variable winds, beming southerly. For Wyoming-Fair: cocler in western

portion: variable winds, becoming north-

westerly.

Local Record.

OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU, OMAHA, Aug. I.—Omaha record of tem-perature and rainfall compared with the corresponding day of the last three years: 188, 187, 188, 1886, Maximum temperature . [3] [8] [8] Maximum temperature ... Minimum temperature ... Average temperature Raisfall Record of temperature and precipitation tomana for this day and since March

Total Funfall since March 1. IS IT inches Deficiency since March 1. IS I inches Deficiency for our period, 1897 7.54 inches Excess for our period, 1896. 1.39 inches

Reports from Stations at S p. m., Seventy-fifth Meridian Tin

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